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Applicant(s): James L. Webber et al.)
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Serial No.: 10/080,264)
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Filing Date: February 21, 2002)
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For: SEAT RESTRAINT TENSIONER)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:


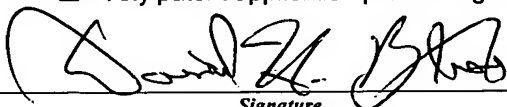

Prior to Examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the pending paragraph on page 11, lines 9 through 15 with the following:

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The seat restraint tensioner 10 includes a cable fitting or rivet 82 attached to a frame of the buckle assembly 30. The cable fitting 82 is generally cylindrical in shape with a generally circular cross-section. The cable fitting 82 is securely connected to the buckle assembly 30 by suitable means such as staking for a function to be described.

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Applicant(s): James L. Webber and David G. Hlavaty					
Serial No. 10/080,264	Filing Date February 21, 2002	Examiner	Group Art Unit		
Invention: SEAT RESTRAINT TENSIONER					
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
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INDEP. CLAIMS	3 -	3 =	0 x	\$84.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$0.00
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